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SPECIAL SESSION OF COUNCIL DISCUSSES POLICE AFFAIRS

Action of Burgess Was Not Set Aside in Suspension Cases

OTHER AFFAIRS DISPOSED OF

A special meeting of the borough council was held last evening at which time some differences which have arisen in the local police department were discussed. It developed that Burgess Woodward had suspended Officer Brickner on Tuesday last, charging him with neglect of duty and conduct unbecoming an officer. All members of council were present and heard both sides of the controversy, Officer Brickner being present, as well as Burgess Woodward.

The session brought up a number of features of which council could take no cognizance and after hearing all the testimony offered, decided that it had no jurisdiction and that the officer would be required to serve his period of suspension, after which he would be restored to the active list. It developed at the hearing that Officer Murphy had also been suspended for a period of fifteen days but council did not discuss his case, as it did not come before them in an official manner. Officer Brickner had but little to say in his defense, admitting there may have been some dereliction of duty on his part.

Council also took action on the specifications for the improvement of Fourth street and the Borough Clerk was authorized to advertise for bids, to be submitted by the 16th inst.

The assessment sheet for the paving of Lookout avenue between Seventh and Eighth streets, was also presented and approved and the Borough Clerk directed to make out assessment notices for property owners on that portion of the avenue improved. Council then adjourned

MRS. HARTUNG'S BROTHER KILLED AT CAMP HANCOCK

Rev. C. A. Hartung received a telegram this morning, saying that his brother-in-law, Corporal Walter E. Roberts a brother of Mrs. Hartung had been killed at Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga Friday night. No particulars were given in the telegram.

Corporal Roberts enlisted in Company B, Sixteenth regiment, at Meadville, two years ago. In 1916 he served six months on the Mexican border with his regiment and during the last summer he mustered with his Company and later left with the regiment, now designated the 112th, for Camp Hancock for training service. The body will be shipped to Meadville and will arrve at that place on Tuesday or Wednesday of next week. His death is the second to occur at Camp Hancock and the first to occur in the 112th Regiment.

If you want a new Leather Bag Pocket Book Photo Case Card Case Wallet Envelope Pocket Book see our Leather Goods Window with prices from 50c to $10.00 to suit your pocket book and taste. Porter's Jewelry Store 502 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi. -126-t2-*

FREE MEDICAL SERVICE FOR U. S. EMPLOYES

Col. H. W. Stickle, United States Engineer in charge of the Pittsburg district, has issued a circular letter to the lockmasters on the Monongahela, Allegheny and Ohio rivers, instructing them as to medical and surgical relief for injured civil employes of the United States. He calls attention to the fact that the United States Dispensary Hospital for the Pittsburg district is located in the United States Marine Hospital, Fortieth street and Penn avenue, where all cases will be treated free of charge to the employe.

HIGH TOWERS CARRY WIRES

Electric Feeders Will Take Power to New By-Product Plant

CROSS RIVER NEAR NO. 3

A big steel tower is being erected on the river bank near the site of old Lock No. 3, about two miles south of Elizabeth and also one on the west side of the river directly opposite. Each of these towers will be 130 feet in height and will be used to carry electric light and power wires. They are being erected for the use of the Duquesne Light and Power company, which has the contract to furnish light and power to the new by-product plant of the Philadelphia Company on the west side of the river at Elrama.

At this plant great quantities of artificial gas will be produced and stored in immense reservoirs and the power will be used to operate a number of electric pumps that will pump the gas into the lines of the company passing near by and forcing it into the Pittsburg district at times when the flow of natural gas fails to meet the demand.

The plant, when in operation, is expected to produce at least 10,000,000 feet of gas every 24 hours and this together with the ow of the natural gas from the Greene county field is hoped will furnish an ample supply for their customers even in the coldest weather. It is expected to have the plant in operation about the first of the new year.

Notice.

A meeting of the Democratic voters will be held at the office of George W. Risbeck, Monday evening, Nov. 12th, 1917 at eight o'clock. Business of importance. You are requested to be present.

J. P. Clutter,
Chairman.
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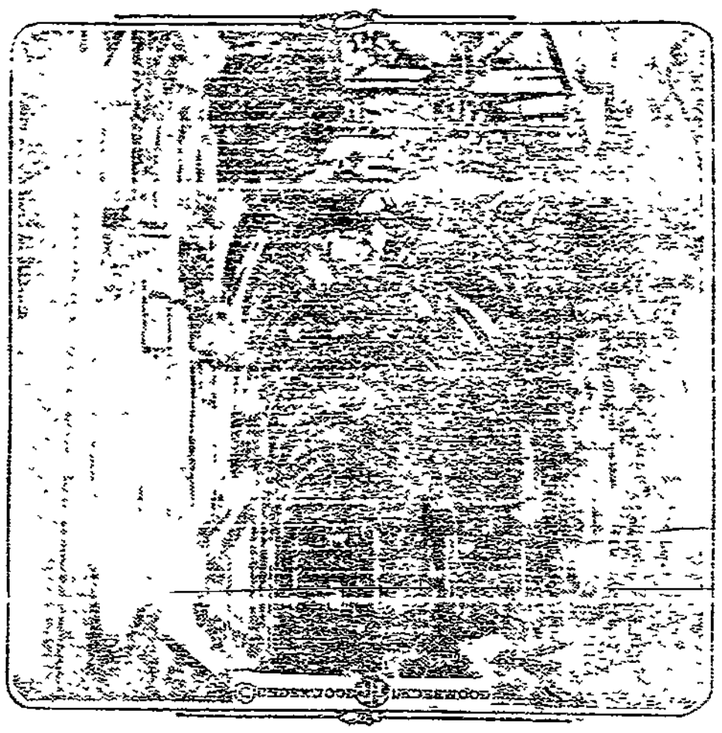
Give her a diamond for Christmas. plenty to pick from. Look in our window for prices. Porter's Jewelry store, 502 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi. 125-t2-*

Broken Arches and Ruins Tell Story of Distruction of Famous Rheimes Cathedral



The story of the destruction of the Rheims Cathedral has already been told in words, but here is the story in a single picture Where? It is in the splintered beams, the broken arches, the ruins of the altar and the piles of debris on the floors It is in the exquisite sculpture that remains intact on the pillars—the parts that have escaped the murderous bombs of the Germans The splendor is gone, but as God's sun guilds the ruins within, the sanctity of the holy place is restored. The picture shows the interior of the famous cathedral as it appears today

Rebekahs Add To Mail's Tobacco Fund

MAIL'S TOBACCO FUND

Previously reported	$161.50
Iris Rebekah Lodge	5.00
Total	$166.50

The American soldier is going to have a lot of strenuous duty to perform in France. The western front is going to witness the deciding battles of the present war. Hundreds of thousands of soldiers from the United States are already on the field and hundreds of thousands more will follow. Their demands will be many, but none will be more persistent than a "home smoke." To provide this need the Mail is soliciting local funds in sums of "two bits" upward in order to supply the men wth this article of comfort to which they were accustomed when they were at home. It is difficult for the men to secure their favorite tobacco in Europe—in fact it is impossible, hence the necessity of sending it from the States. Great quantities of smokes will go to the men for Christmas time, but the demand will just be as persistent with the new year as ever before. Let us keep the fund going that the men now serving in the trenches and those preparing for the battle lines, shall not be deprived of this great comfort.

MEETING OF THE LUTHER LEAGUE

The Four-Cities Luther League convention met in Christ Lutheran church Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock. The organization is composed of the leagues of Donora, Monongahela, Monessen and Charleroi. A very interesting program was rendered, consisting principally of music by the senior choir and one selection by the junior choir. The address of the evening was delivered by Rev. H. F. Obenauf of Scenery Hill, Pa., his subject being the "Reformation Jubilee."

After the program a social hour was spent in the Sunday school rooms, where the young ladies of the local League served refreshments. About one hundred members and friends were present

Marble and Granite Display

Two car loads of granite and marble monuments, just unloaded, are now on display at the show room of the M. T. Crowley Marble and Granite Works, 325 McKean avenue. 102-tf-*

CAMPAIGN FOR Y. M. C. A. WAR FUND BEGINS SUNDAY

PAY MEN EVERY WEEK TO RETAIN THEM

The Koppers company, which is constructing the big by-product plant at Clairton for the United States Steel Corporation in order to hold their men on the job, are paying them every Saturday night. The weekly pay amounts to almost $12,000, but the company deems it good business to give the men their money weekly, in order to keep them contented. It is expected the plant will be ready to place in operation shortly after the first of the coming year.

FUMBLE COSTLY TO CHARLEROI

Lost Title Game to Washington by a Single Touchdown

LOCALS PUT UP STRONG GAME

The Charleroi high school football team did not win the game with Washington on Friday, but it made the Catfish contingent "go some" to get the only six points scored in the contest. This is the first time in the history of the two institutions that Washington high has triumphed over Charleroi in a foot ball game.

Prior to the game supporters of the Washington team predicted their boys would run away with Charleroi and score at least 20 points. So confident were they on the outcome that they were willing to lay a few wagers on that figure, which were at once taken by the backers of the Charleroi team. Last year the teams played to a scoreless tie, but this year Washington believed they had much the stronger team. However, the contest hardly justified that belief, for Charleroi only lost the game because of a costly fumble in the second period.

For Washington, West was the individual star, making the only touchdown of the game for his team, Hoey missing goal. For Charleroi Eagye and Hess made some pretty runs and were responsible for advancing the ball into their opponents' territory on several occasions. By winning this game Washington claims the county championship. The teams lined up as follows:

Washington—3		Charleroi—0
Irwin	LE	Schmelier
Gibson	LT	Paluso
Zelt	LG	Ternavsky
Stellevalo	C	Weaver
Newmark	RG	Clark
Pershall	RT	Pollock
Jeffries	RE	McKenna
Hoey	Q	Carson
Bonnell	LH	Eagye
West	RH	Lowstuter
Phillips	FB	Hess

Substitutes: Washington High—Vichman for Jeffries, Frazer for Hoey Charleroi High—Kibler for Clark.

Washington High scoring: Touchdown—West. Missed goal from touchdown—Hoey.

Officials: Referee—Al Comfort, Allegheny. Umpire—Watkins, West Virginia university. Linesman—Houston, Bethan.

Charleroi Teams Are Prepared to Make Big Drive to Raise Quota

OUR SHARE ABOUT $10,000

A meeting to launch the local campaign for the Y. M. C. A. war fund was held in the basement of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church Friday evening, November 9. A representative number of Charleroi's business and professional men had been invited to be present and after dinner had been served a temporary organization was effected by the election of W. S. James as chairman, who had charge of the meeting and who introduced the speakers of the evening. Prof C. C. Johnson of the North Side High school, Pittsburg and Vinton B. Fisk, secretary of the South Hills Y. M. C. A. Following the excellent addresses of these two men who told of the necessity for the Y. M. C. A. behind the battle lines in France a permanent organization was effected by the election of H. J. Booth as chairman; Dr. J. W. Hunter, vice chairman; and Hugh E. Fergus as secretary-treasurer, The active workers of the community will be divided into ten teams consisting of five men each. Ten team Captains have been selected and each of these Captains will select four assistants. The team Captains are as follows:

No. 1—John D. Berryman.
No. 2—W. S. James.
No. 3—Walter Byerly.
No. 4—James Heffran.
No. 5—Lee Showers.
No. 6—S. D. Hill
No. 7—Dr. J. W. Manon.
No. 8—Dr. F. C. Stahlman.
No. 9—Dr. C. C. Wright.
No. 10—Harry Scott.

In order to get the campaign properly under way a list of 500 names will be prepared and these names will be divided among the teams, that each of the persons whose names appear on the list may be solicited The work will be carried on from the 11th to the 19th of November inclusive. The subscriptions will not be limited to the 500 whose names appear on the first list, this being only a starter, as the different teams can solicit subscriptions from any and every person, all of whom are expected to give subscriptions.

The amount of money to be raised in the United States is $35,000,000, of which Charleroi's quota will be approximately about $10,000.

C. E. Clegg was a Pittsburg visitor Saturday.

John K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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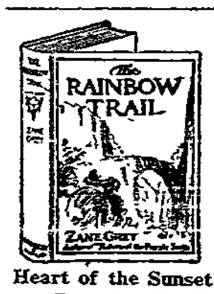

GREAT BOOKS FOR 60c

Heart of the Sunset — By Rex Beach
Rainbow Trial — Zane Grey
Georgina of the Rainbow — Annie F. Johnson
The Daredevil — Maria T. Daviess
Eyes of the World — Harold Bell Wright
John Barleycorn — Jack London
The Seven Darlings — Gouvenor Morris
Mother Cary's Chickens — Kate Douglas Wiggin
Mr. Bingle — Geo. Barr McCutcheon
Shadow of Flames — Amelie Barr
Michael O'Holloran — By Gene Stratton Porter
Athalie — Robt. W. Chambers
Ranch at the Wolverine — B. M. Bower
Anne of Avonlea — L. M. Montgomery
The Long Roll — Mary Johnson
Mister 44 — E. J. Rath
Story of Julia Page — Kathleen Norris
Daddy Long Legs — Jean Webster
Light Of Western Stars — Zane Grey
Winning of Barbara Worth — Harold Bell Wright

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THE Y. M. C. A.

Charleroi is "all set" for the Y. M. C. A. campaign, which is to be opened in this community on Sunday. The campaign, of which we are to be a part, is nation-wide, the aim being to secure at least $35,000,000 for the furtherance of the aims and objects of the "Y" in army work.

Soldier boys writing from the various cantonments, or from the battlefields of France, tell of the great work being done by the Y. M. C. A. It is one great institution that is looking after the morals and the comfort of the men now in service and the conveniences it affords which are not provided for in the army regulations are of a most comprehensive character. Without it the men would have practically no place to go. Its doors are open to every soldier, regardless of his creed or color and all of them are placed on the same footing when it comes to receiving benefits from this great morals-saving organizaton.

The money to be raised during the coming week will be used for the further extension of the work and of supplying additional features which heretofore the lack of funds has prevented the organization from providing for the men. With a big $35,000,000 fund to draw from however, the institution will be well taken care of financially, which will permit it to do the work for the men which it originally set out to do.

When the appeal comes to us for the Y. M. C. A. fund we should respond as generously as we are able. The dividends will be returned to us in the form of gratitude from the soldier boys, for whose benefit this great work is now being enlarged.

THE VALUE OF TEAM WORK

You can't make bricks without straw, but neither can you make them of nothing but straw. Putting it another way—no amount of endeavor to put people in a receptive mood will get anywhere unless they themselves will go halfway to meet that endeavor. To get things accomplished two elements are needed: the impetus which sets in motion and the co-operation which maintains (and finally accelerates) that initial motion. The United States Food Administration can—and does—supply information to the peple telling them why they should save certain sorts of food and how they may save them. But unless the public responds by putting such advice into actual practice, the game is only half won. If you ever watched a relay race you know that no matter how fast the first runner sprints nothing is achieved and the race is not won unless the next runner does his part. So it is about saving foods. When you read that one way to conserve America's fats for the use of our allies is not to use butter in cooking, you are starting in the right direction. But if you only pause and ponder and think how wise such counsel is, you have arrived nowhere. It is only when you stop using butter in cooking or see that it is stopped in your household, that you have got somewhere. That is the first way you can conserve wheat and fat and sugar—by sparing them yourself. The second is to persuade others to go and do likewise. Complete public instruction and effort can be accomplished only when Mrs. Smith drops in on Mrs. Jones next door to tell just how she managed to cut down her use of wheat flour and butter a full third the previous month. And when Mrs. Jones begins to try the same system of substitution and persuades Mrs. Robinson to do likewise then real results begin to pile up. That's what co-operation means—Collier's.

SAVING MONEY AND FOOD

The Federal Food Admnistration should receive the same hearty support that has been given the Treasury in its appeal for the Liberty Loan. The people are learning to save their money, to turn from hoarding to real thrift, and already eight or ten millions of them are aware that money in four per cent government bonds is worth more than savings hidden in

IN MEMORY
OF MY
DEAR FRIEND

THOS. H. TOMLINSON, JR.

Died Nov. 3, 1917

CAMP HANCOCK.
AUGUSTA, GA.

HARRY LESLIE BARNHART
CLEVELAND, OHIO

a stocking or lying in a safety deposit box. They need to become equally wise in the matter of food economy—for their own sakes for the country's sake and for the sake of our allies—and no doubt they are making progress. For example, the temporary near-famine has undoubtedly taught many housewives that a little sugar will go a long way.

With proper forethough and careful avoidance of waste, consumption can be reduced and yet no one be under-nourished. Such reduction in home consumption, while saving money for the consumer, will do no harm to business because what is not bought by the citizen will be bought by the government or the purchasing agents of the Allies. We are asked to eat more sparingly especially of those foods which are needed for shipment to our friends in arms, wheat being the most important. The more we turn to corn, rye and other cereals, the more wheat there will be for export. The same will be true of beef and other meats if we turn more to fish and meat substitutes. The rise in the prices of such articles adds the economic to the patriotic argument and the citizen who follows the government's advice in these matters will derive profit for himself as well as serve the great cause.

THE WORLDS IN SPACE

An American astronomer is quoted as saying that if any other planet in our solar system is inhabited it is Venus rather than Mars, the atmosphere of the latter being only one-seventh as dense now as was that of our earth, while the former, "has an atmosphere as dense now as was that of the earth in prehistoric times, when life in all forms was richest" The average astronomer seems reluctant to admit the possibility of life in any planet except the earth. Doubtless there are planets in our own and the myriads of other solar systems not yet ripened into the conditions necessary to support human life, but it is only reasonable to suppose that the ultimate destiny of every planet is an abode for men, just as an egg—barring accident or interference—is destined to become a bird. It is also reasonable to suppose that vast numbers of the countless planets in the universe are already inhabited by men. For what other reason do planets and solar systems exist and what conceivable explanation could there be otherwise for such a stupendous waste of energy and material?

Some idea of the exent of such a waste of energy and material may be obtained by reflection upon the distance between us and the sun Sirius, the most beautiful star of the heavens within our view. Astronomers tell us that it is 1,375,00 as far from us as the sun of our own planetary system—and that for its light to reach us requires 22 years, travelling at the rate of 186,000 miles a second! That is, what we see is not the Sirius of today but of 1895, the ray of light that reaches our eyes having been sent forth from the vast orb in that year. The imagination is literally staggered by the picture, but the reasoning mind is forced to the conclusion that so many myriads of worlds have not been brought into being merely to remain useless.

U-BOAT "KELLY"

From the base of the American flotillia in British waters comes the story of a U-boat commander who has amused American sailors by his "un-German" humor. With humor of their own they have dubbed him "Kelly of the Emerald Isle," although he may really have some such name as Stein. According to the story, "Kelly" commands a mine laying U-boat and after he has distributed his mines where he thinks they will do most harm he usually devotes a few minutes to a prank of some kind. Sometmes he leaves a saucy note flying from a buoy in school-boy English addressed to his American enemy. Again he will slip up to a deserted bit of Irish coast at night, go ashore with his men and leave behind him a placard or a tiny German flag. "His most audacious exploit was a trip several months ago to Dublin, where he stayed two days at a leading hotel, afterwards rejoining his U-boat somewhere up the West coast, leaving as proof his hotel bill attached to one of the buoys."

In the cabled story of U-Boat "Kelly" there is no intimation that his daring is in part due to the existence of Irish friends ashore, but this is at least a possibility. He would of course drop no hint that he was assisted and sheltered on his trip to Dublin, but the irreconcilable members of the Sinn Fein who invited a landing of arms from Germany and who oppose a peaceable settlement of the Irish problem might be capable of entertaining and forwarding the designs of a German spy. U-Boat "Kelly" may be engaged in a more serious enterprise than his supposed pranks would seem to indicate.

American women must work and save while American men work and fight. Our own and the world's freedom and safety depend on the one no less than on the other.

Eight million persons bought Liberty bonds and thus piled up a vote for the war to the finish such as no candidate for office ever received.

If the cost of a smoke goes much higher, there are likely to be inquiries into the merits of Uncle Remus' "rabbit terbacker."

Like the United States, Brazil has accepted the state of war thrust upon it by predatory Germany, which plotted the ruin of both.

Stop That Cold At Once

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No opiates—no unpleasant after effects. Cures colds in 24 hours—Grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Mr. Hill's picture on it. 24 Tablets for 25c.

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NORTH CHARLEROI

Miss Hazel Watson was a business caller in Pittsburg.

Miss Lela and Genevieve Nutt were visitors in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Walter Wooster and daughter Virginia of Brownsville were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crable.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nutt and family of Edison are visiting here until their goods arrive. Then they expect to live at Rices Landing.

Miss Velma Kibbler and Miss Henrietta Woodward spent a few days at the homes of Mrs. John Bryson and Mrs. J. D. Wood of Uniontown.

Miss Grace Phillips and sister Mary have returned from a few days visit with their parents near Uniontown.

Mr and Mrs. W. S. Hess of Pittsburg spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H Wernke.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Worth have returned to their home in McKeesport after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. George Clark.

Miss Ester Sewank of Donora was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Howe and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Alexander.

Mrs. Willis McCook has returned from a few days visit with her parents at North Side, Pittsburg.

P. E. Franks and son Ewand and Harry Pepple have returned from a week's hunting at Mapletown.

Mrs. Thomas Cocaine and daughter Miss Valeria were callers in Pittsburg Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Duffield of Sheridan is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Metz.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brown and baby of Braddock are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown.

Mrs. George Howe has returned home after visiting at her home in Rodfield.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Kibler and family. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hutchinson and children of Monessen and Mr. and Mrs. A. Kitty, and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Genevan of Donora attended the chrysanthemum show in Schenley Park on Sunday

Mrs. Henry Hewitt and daughter, Miss Sarah have returned to their home in Uniontown after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Buffie.

GERMAN SPIES UNMASKED
FOURTH Capacity Week
SEE A SHOCK OF TRUTH
"THE MAN WHO STAYED AT HOME"
NOT A PICTURE
Mon. and Wed. Mats.—25c to $1.00. Sat. Mat. & Evgs.—25c to $1.50
WAR TAX PAID BY MANAGEMENT
PITT THEATRE Penn Ave. and Seventh St. Pittsburgh

HOBBIES

WELL, I SUPPOSE I'LL HAVE TO WIPE MY FACE ON MY OVERCOAT AS USUAL
INK? NO! HERMAN JUST TOOK A BAWTH
FATHER FOUND HIS GREATEST DELIGHT IN LOOKING FOR CLEAN SPOTS ON THE FAMILY TOWEL—YEA BO!
HELFANT

CHRISTMAS BOX FUND CLOSES 14TH

The local campaign for contributions to the Caristmas box fund for the benefit of Charleroi boys now serving in the United States Army, and at present located in the United States is progressing very nicely under the direction of Mrs Walter Byerly chairman of the committee. All those who expect to make donations of candy or other articles for these boxes should leave them at Might's book store or at Lawrence B. Frye's office not later than Wednesday, the 14th inst., at which time the offerings will be collected prior to being packed for shipment. It is necessary for the committee to end the campaign at that time, as it will require considerable work to prepare the boxes, mark them properly for the soldiers and see that they are sent to the different camps in which Charleroi boys are located. The response of the people to this appeal has been very generous, but the committee finds itself short of proper boxes in which to box the candy. They therefore appeal for tin boxes, half-pound and quarter-pound cocoa tin boxes, which are ideal for the purpose. All such boxes should be sent to Mrs. Walter Byerly, 327 Meadow avenue as early as possible. Two shipments of Christmas boxes have been sent to France, for distribution among the soldier boys now on duty there.

WHAT SOLDIER BOYS EAT

Meat Served Twice Daily With Good Supply of Other Substantial Food—Crave Dainties.

The old idea that army diet should consist largely of beans, hardtack and coffee, is no longer approved. In the present training camps meat, preferably beef, is served twice a day, with white bread baked in the general camp bakery and kept 24 hours before serving. Where green vegetables can be obtained they are used, otherwise canned goods are substituted. Coffee is served at breakfast and buttermilk, lemonade, tea, cocoa or water at other meals. Meals, which in the vernacular are "mess" or "chow," are served cafeteria style. Every soldier is furnished with an outfit which consists of a meat pan, knife, fork and spoon, and a long handled cup. The cover of the meat pan serves as a plate, and the outfit is so arranged that each man may do his own cooking in case of an emergency.

Each man takes his meat pan and passes before a table where he is served with the various dishes prepared. He then goes to a table, or if there is none, drops down on the ground, and eats in absolute contentment. Don't feel too sorry for the boys, even if they do write longingly home wishing for mothers cookies or Jane's fried chicken, Belle Case Harrington writes in Leslie's. Men in outdoor training have good appetites, and they are far better off physically than if fed on the salads and ices and sodas they probably would have at home. What they miss most is sweets. If you are sending things from home put in cookies, candies and jams or jellies. Milk chocolate is one of the things a soldier seems to crave, and a jar of malted milk will come handy if he is not feeling well. Be sure not to send food that is too rich. The boys are on plain diet, with extremes of climate, and sometimes doubtful water supply—and boys never do have sense when it comes to eating!

HELPMEETS ARE NEEDED YET

Testimony of Suffragist Plainly Shows That Mere Man Cannot Do Without Them.

There is no use denying it, mister man cannot exist without a helpmeet, a New York correspondent of the Pittsburgh Dispatch writes. The women themselves admit this much, but they deny emphatically that they are dependent upon the sterner sex. No, indeed. It was over at the votes for women headquarters recently that the well-known and oft accepted theory of the dependency of women upon mere man was attacked.

Someone had volunteered the fear that women will always be regarded as weak and dependent as long as it is necessary for friend wife to call upon hubby to button up her waist in the back or see if the hooks are all tight or if her hat is on straight, and if her hair is all over her head. The very fact that man is at all times able to care for his sartorial self alone was cited as an example of the varying independence of the two. "But that isn't always so," replied one of the state campaigners. "My husband went away on a campaign trip this summer for two weeks and every single night he had to wire me to ask where he would be likely to find his pajamas."

Easy Money.

Near Otis Hill, in Hingham, Mass., where once stood a target and rifle range, the highway road excavator has scooped from the hilly ground several hundred pounds of lead from bullets fired there, and one young man is credited with having obtained enough lead to fill an ash sifter, his first hour's work netting him $1.50.

WOMEN GIVE OUT

Housework is hard enough when healthy. Every Charleroi woman who is having backache, blue and nervous spells, dizzy headaches and kidney or bladder troubles, should be glad to heed this Charleroi woman's experience:

Mrs. D. F. Worthington, Second street, says: "I was troubled by backache for years. The pains were so intense at times it made me sick all over. I was always worse in the morning. Whenever I stopped a sharp pain darted through me and I could hardly catch my breath. Often it was just as though a knife were being stuck into me and I was tired all the time. I had rheumatic pains all through my body and my feet became swollen I bought a couple of boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills at Pieper Bros. Drug Store and they relieved me of all symptoms of the trouble. I now take Doan's Kidney Pills once in awhile and they always help me."

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Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-che-ster's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 35 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
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Great Sale of Boys' Suits at $3.95

Still continues, values up to $5.00, a wonderful offering for the boy of age 10 to 17 years, they are all strong, sturdy qualities and kinds for dress and every day wear, double breasted, knickerbockers styles in pretty dark mixtures of grey, brown, etc., simple suits and surplus stocks of which no more can be had when these are gone at even twice or three times this price.

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FOR SALE—Team of horses, wagon and harness. Inquire Frank Haywood, Dunlevy, Pa. 114-t10-p

FOR SALE—Six room house, bath, hot air furnace, Shady avenue, price $2,675. Inquire E. J. Charles, Charleroi Savings and Trust company. 120-tf

FOR SALE—One pair of mules; one suitable for mine works. Will sell separately if necessary. For further information call Bell phone 266-W, Charleroi 126-tt6

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Inquire 39 Mail office. 119-tf

FOR RENT—Storage room See D. N. Hall, Fourth street or call either phone. 123-t11

FOR RENT— Furnished front room for gentleman. Inquire of 45 Mail office. 124-tf

WANTED—Experienced lady bookkeeper. Apply after 5:30 to 400 Fifth street, Charleroi. 124-t3

WANTED—Solicitors for Monongahela valley 10 lady solicitors for an attractive house-to-house proposition with the largest concern in the world handling pure food products direct to the consumer. Salary and commission. Call at Branch office, 400 Fifth street, Charleroi, M. O. Borst. 124-t3

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Call Bell 116-M, Charleroi. 125-t3p

WANTED—Girl for housework, 328 Washington Avenue. 126-tf

WANTED—A General Agent for the Monthly Premium Accident and Health Department of the largest company in the World, writing every form of Life, Accident and Health Insurance. Requires a man capable of writing policies and adjusting claims. Commission contract only. Address, C. H. Boyer, Manager Casualty Department, National Life Insurance Company of the U. S. of A., 29 So. LaBelle Street, Chicago, Ill. 126-t2

WANTED—Tin boxes, half pound and quarter pound cocoa boxes, in which to pack candy for Charleroi soldiers Leave them with Mrs. Walter Byerly, 327 Meadow avenue at once. 126-t3-p

LOST—Cameo pin on street of Charleroi, Finder return to Wagner's Ice Cream Parlor. 126-t2

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all those who were so kind and sympathetic toward us in our recent bereavement in the death of our son and brother and particularly do we wish to remember the B. P. O. E. of Monessen, the Knights of Malta, the Lady Maccabees, the Veteran Guard, the Spanish-American War veterans, the Sons of Italy, the drum corps and the Charleroi Concert band.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tomlinson and Family. 126-t1

Sealed bids will be received by the Borough Clerk of Charleroi, for laying a concrete sidewalk on Lincoln avenue at intersection of Fourth street and on unvacated portion of Fourth street between Lincoln avenue and Church alley.

Plans and specifications can be had at Borough Engineers office, Council Chamber,

All bids to be in the hands of Borough Clerk on or before 7 o'clock p. m., Nov. 16, 1917. Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Ira L. Nickeson,
Borough Clerk.

Charleroi, Pa.
Nov. 10, 1917.

126-t3

SHAFT IS DOWN TO COAL SEAM

The Clarksville Gas Coal company, which recently started a mine on the Teagarden farm just below Clarksville, is pushing the work rapidly. The shaft has been sunk to the coal and a slope is now being constructed and will be completed in a short time. The work of building houses for the employes has been started. The town is on the road leading from Clarksville to Sandy Plains and on the hill above the plant. It is planned to erect 100 houses as soon as possible. The plant is located about one-half mile below Clarksville on the Washington county side of Ten Mile creek. The company is composed of Pittsburg people and owns several hundred acres of coal in and around Clarksville. At the place where the shaft in sunk the coal is less than 100 feet below the surface.

Colonel J. M. Schoonmaker, president of the Pittsburg Lake Erie railroad; G. B. Obey of Brownsville, general superintendent of the Monongahela Railway company and D. K. Orr, of Brownsville, chief engineer for the Monongahela Railway company, were in Greene county last week on a visit of inspection over the route of the new railroad, says the Waynesburg Democrat-Messenger.

The Pittsburg & Lake Erie Railroad company, the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad companies recently combined in the construction of new railroads in Greene county and formed a corporation known as the Chartiers Southern Railway company. The new lines to be constructed by this company will extend from Millsboro to Waynesburg; from Wheeling, W. Va., to Waynesburg, and from Van Eman, on the Chartiers Valley railway to Waynesburg. Other lines through the southern part of Greene county may also be built.

Colonel Schoonmaker and party made the trip by automobile, having traveled the route of the new line under construction from Millsboro to Waynesburg. He stated that the line from Millsboro to Waynesburg will be pushed as rapidly as possible and that all other lines in the county will be placed in operation as soon as possible. He is very optimistic over the development of new railroads in Greene county and looks forward to Greene county supplying coal to the industrial district in and around Pittsburg and predicts an immense tonnage for railroads from this section. His associates joined with him in his anticipation of great railroad development in Greene county.

The Chartiers Southern railroad has been granted the right of way through the borough of Clarksville. The road is to run through Clarksville parallel with South Ten Mile creek and only a short distance from the creek. According to a statement made by the railroad officials to the council a station will be built in the town similar to the one at Rice's Landing to be located between the railroad track and the creek.

CHRISTMAS PIANO SAVINGS CLUB—JOIN TODAY— PAY ONLY ONE DOLLAR

Become a member of this money saving circle. Here is your opportunity to hear a fine piano in your home Christmas morning. Call at our store for further information. Schroder Piano Co., 304 Fifth street, Stahlman Building, Charleroi. George E. Day, Manager. 126-t1

LIGHT COMPANY IS SHORT ON FUEL

The Duquesne Light Company of Pittsburg, a subsidiary of the Philadelphia company which furnished a great deal of power in that city, has only a few days supply of coal on hand. The light company receives the greater part of its supply of fuel from the Monongahela valley and in order to keep up with the demand has a number of flats in commission, which are loaded at river tipples in the upper pools. Their supply of late has been rather meagre and unless some relief is afforded the company will have to cut down its service It is now opening its own mine on the Allegheny near Cheswick, and hopes to be able to increase its supply within the next few months.

WIN THE WAR BY SAVING FOOD

Director Hoover, food administrator, is asking every family to register every mean. The registration campaign is being carried on through the churches. On last Sabbath, in the Methodist church cards returned showed that 20 families reported 85 wheatless meals, 281 meatless meals, and 420 wasteless meals for the week ending November 3rd. Other churches are believed to have records equal to this one, but it is urged on all families that these cards be returned with the expected data, that proper statistics may be kept of the progress of the campaign for the conservation of food. These reports are expected to be turned in each Sabbath and those in charge hope that each succeeding week will show a substantial gain. A similar campaign is being carried on in every community throughout the entire country.

CANDIDATE'S EXPENSE ACCOUNT UNDER FIRE

Hugh E. Fergus, Esq., has been apponted auditor upon petition to the court, in the matter of the expense account of J. B McAlister, a candidate for Alderman in the Third ward, Monongahela. It is averred by the petitioners that the sworn expense account of Mr. McAlister covering his expenses prior to the September primaries, in which he avers he spent less than $50, is incorrect, untrue and erroneous. On the contrary it is averred to pay, give or lend lent or agreed to pay, give or lend money or other valuable things for his nomination expenses other than those specified and authorized by the act of assembly."

The fight for the nomination of Alderman in the Third ward of Monongahela in September was very bitter and this petition is the outcome of that fight. A. R. Day, at present city treasurer of Monongahela was the opponent of Mr. McAlister but lost out by a decisive vote.

RENO TRIAL FIXED FOR NOVEMBER 21

The trial of Carmello Reno for the murder of George Lewis here in Charleroi on the 9th of September, has been fixed for Wednesday, November 21st.

SERVING WITH MARINES IN CUBA

Mrs. Adelia Theakston of Brownsville, is in receipt of a letter from her son, private Eastman Theakston, who is a member of the 94th Company, Seventh Regiment, United States Marines, now on duty near the naval station at Guantanamo bay, Cuba. Private Theakston, who by the way, is known to many Charleroi people, says that his regiment has moved about 65 miles from Guantanamo Bay, and they are now located on the top of San Juan hill, where the main battle of the Spanish-American war was fought. "Believe me it is interesting. The old trenches are still here. I have seen Moro Castle, also the place where the collier Merrimac was sunk for the purpose of corking up Santiago harbor to keep the Spanish fleet in."

JOHN O. WATSON IS VISITING CAMP SHERMAN

County Commissioner John O. Watson, accompanied by his wife left Washington yesterday for a visit to Camp Sherman at Chillicothe, Ohio. Mr. Watson is chairman of the exemption board of the Fifth district, and this visit is in keeping with a promise he made to the men who were sent to that camp from this locality. Mr. Watson expects to visit every part of the cantonment and will be particularly interested in the welfare of the boys from the Fifth District.

Not His Fault.

"If fate had been kinder to me, I would have married a $10,000-a-year man," said Mrs. Dubwaite. "You did marry a $10,000-a-year man," answered Mr. Dubmaite, with dignity. "The fact that I didn't get it is no reflection upon me."

SUPERVISOR TO ANSWER IN COURT

Friday, November 23, is the date set for the trial of the case against James V. Young, et al., supervisors of Fallowfield township, charged with maintaining a nuisance. It is alleged the supervisors of the township have been derelict in keeping up a certain piece of road in their township.

LABOR SCARCITY RETARDS RAISING

While the raising of the wrecked steamer Monitor is progressing favorably, the scarcity of labor is holding the work back to a certain degree. Capt. Harry McGuire, who is in charge of the raising of the boat, was hunting men this morning, offering good and extra time. He was at Lock No 4 and made advances to the lockmen to put in their spare time on the wreck, making inducements for them to assist in the work. Captain McGuire is of the opinion that if river and weather conditions continue for a time he will be able to bulkhead the break in the steamer's hull and put the boat in shape to be pumped out.

ENTERTAINS AT PARTY FOR SIXTH BIRTHDAY

Kenneth Mathers entertained a number of friends at his home on Fallowfield avenue Friday evening to help him celebrate his sixth birthday. Those present were Francis Humphries, Howard Thompson, Bob White, Elizabeth Flohr, Melvin Hindmarsch, Margaret McHigh, Edwin Myers, Mildred Osbourne, Mary McHigh, Bill Flohr, Mildred Thompson, Loretta Birken and Josephine White. Mrs. Mathers was assisted by Mrs. Elmira McGee.

Red Cross Canteen Workers Distribute "Eats" To Soldiers Enroute To Camp

"Everywhere in the United States" the Red Cross canteen service is in operation. The soldiers passing backward and forward from camps or en route to points of embarkation for Europe are never overlooked when they stop over at some transfer point or are delayed in transit. Every town supports a branch of this service. This is one of the first pictures of the Red Cross canteen workers "on the job." The troop train has stopped at a station about meal time, and the women are distributing sandwiches, coffee and pie to stay the patriotic appetites of the soldiers. The scene is typical of the work of the women in this branch of the Red Cross.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Washington Avenue Presbyterian

Father and son day in the Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "A Paternal Joy and its Cause." Jr. C. E. at 2. Leader, Gilbert Bake. Sr C E. at 6:30. Topic, "Seeking Worth While Things." Leaders, William Dawson and Russell Stahlman. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon, "Faces Retouched." Strangers and those without a church home are cordially invited to worship with us. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

Lutheran.

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Address appropriate to home missions. Junior League 2 p. m. Vesper services, with sermon at 7:30. Subject, "The Voice From Naboth's Vineyard." Luther League Wednesday 7:30. Public cordially invited to all services. C. P. Bastian, pastor.

Methodist

Corner Sixth and Lincoln. Sunday school 9:45. Preaching 10:45. Subject, "How to Win." Epworth League 6:30. Evening preaching service 7:30. Sermon subject "A Marvelous Experience." This is a "Home like church." Everybody welcome. Strangers and people without a church home expecially urged to come and worship with us. C. A. Hartung, minister.

St. Mary's Episcopal

Sunday school 9:45 On account of serious illness in the family of our new Rector Rev. A. A. Houbert he will not be with us Sunday as expected so the morning service at 11 will be read by Wm. B. Neison of Pittsburg. There will be no evening service.

First Presbyterian.

Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching services at 11 and 7:30. Rev. L. L. Tait of Pittsburg will preach both morning and evening Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

First Christian.

Rev. Carl Burkhart of Franklin, Ind., will preach at 11 o'clock and at 7:30. Other services as usual. The public is extended a cordial invitation.

BRYAN TO APPEAR IN MONONGAHELA

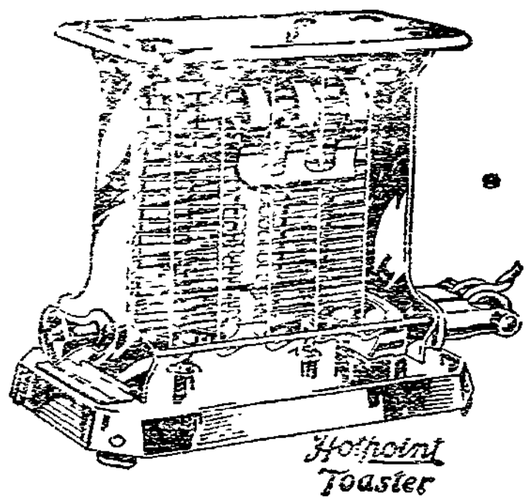
Hon. William Jennings Bryan, former Secretary of State in President Wilson's cabinet, will lecture in the Methodist Episcopal church, Monongahela, next Wednesday evening, November 14. His subject will be "Fundamentals," in which he will speak on temperance, woman suffrage, and other topics of a national interest. The lecture is given as one of the features of a course which has been promoted by the Men's Bible Class of the Methodist Sunday school and a large audience is expected to hear the distinguished speaker.

CONDUCTOR LOSES FINE MERCER CAR

Conductor P. C. Teeple of Monongahela, of the Pennsylvania railroad passenger service, lost a fine Mercer touring car in Pittsburg Thursday night, some one stealing it while he was attending a play at one of the theatres. The car was valued at $3,500.

QUEEN ESTHERS HOSTESSES TO WESTMINISTER GUILD

The Queen Esther Circle of the Methodist Episcopal church entertained the members of the Westminister Guild of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church in the basement of the M. E. church Friday evening. The leader of the meeting was Miss Elizabeth Hall and the scripture lesson was lead by Miss Hall and Miss Anna Hendershot. Miss Mary Collins a deaconess of Pittsburg was present and gave a talk. Others who took a part in the meeting were Miss Alice Mallabone and Miss Elizabeth Hall. Miss Elizabeth Frew sang, "A Bird With a Broken Wing." She was accompanied by Mrs. B. D. Hetrick. The hostesses were Mrs. E. A. Nicholson, Miss Anna Watson and Miss Priscilla Murray.



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SEEK SAFETY IN LANDING

High Speed Airplanes Have Drawback That Engineers Are Now Trying to Overcome.

At the present writing there is no evidence of any plane that has exceeded 130 miles in steady flight, and these are only the leanest and most dangerous types with landing speeds of from 75 to 90 miles an hour. Few, if any, have been equipped with engines exceeding 160 horsepower.

There is no inherent reason why this horsepower cannot be approximately doubled, Carl Snyder writes in Collier's. This would be sufficient to drive a strongly constructed reliable triplane, carrying perhaps two passengers, at from 20 to 30 miles an hour faster than any airplane has yet flown. Such a machine is actually under construction in this country; and as the Germans have been steadily a little ahead of the allies, so far as their machines are concerned, there is little reason to doubt that similar experiments are under way in Germany.

If some recording device can be found which will lower the landing speed to a reasonably safe point, these machines will outclass anything that has so far been built.

As far as the design of these engines is concerned, they differ in no important particular, except their weight from the finer type of motor car motors. A fine aero engine is simply an astonishingly clever piece of mechanical construction. It is very nearly hand-made from end to end.

SAVING STEPS IN BUSINESS

Pinch In Transportation Facilities Call for Closest Attention of American Industry.

American business is quite likely to learn, partly as a result of the war, that to survive and develop properly it must cut out waste to a far greater extent perhaps than men have dreamed, says the Philadelphia Ledger. One of the biggest leaks is probably in transportation, and as a people Americans have been reckless in their use of this commodity, if it can be called such. With the present pinch in transportation facilities, now is a good time to take account of stock.

American business and industry will have to learn how to save its steps. Some day it will learn that it is folly to drag coal barges 90 miles down the Delaware and 100 miles or so up the coast when a ship canal to New York could cut off the latter leg of that trip. Some day it will see that there is no use hauling a very large part of the fuel which now clogs the railroads and that it would be cheaper to extract its chemical contents and burn the resulting coke to make electric current in great central stations for distribution over a wide area.

The more American business saves from purposeless and unscientific carting of things about, the more will be available for serious and beneficent aims. Americans should save their steps.

Damaged, But No Damages.

A young Pennsylvania lawyer, practicing in the South, was called on by an old negro, who seemed to be in a very bruised condition.

The negro, addressing the lawyer, said: "Good morning, lawyer; I'se come to see you to bring a suit fo' me."

The lawyer, seeing the negro's condition and foreseeing a good damage suit, asked for a statement of facts.

"Well," continued the negro, "Ah wus walkin' on down through the field, and de brown mule was eatin' long side de paff, and jus' as Ah passed he hauled off wid dat lef' foot and lambasted me all over and nigh broke me to pieces."

"Good," interrupted the lawyer; "now has the owner of that mule got any money?"

"Any money!" exclaimed the negro; "why, boss, Ah owns de mule!"—West's Docket.

Internal Combustion Engine.

The Diesel engine is an internal combustion engine which runs on crude oil and the lowest grades of fuel oil. It burns cheaper fuel and less of it than a gasoline engine. Its construction is heavier, but more simple, as it requires neither magneto nor carburetor, positive ignition and burning of the fuel without explosions being obtained from heat of great intensity, generated by compression of the air between the piston and the cylinder head and the liquid fuel being atomized and sprayed into the heated air in the combustion chamber under great pressure. It is claimed that the Diesel engine converts into available mechanical energy a greater percentage of the power represented by the heat contained in the fuel consumed than any other form of engine yet produced.

Patriotism or Parsimony.

Every newspaper, every magazine, every public speaker, is urging American housewives to save, save, save!

There is no doubt that an army fights on its stomach and that this war must be won in the kitchens of the United States as well as in the trenches.

But there is such a thing as saving too well. Economy is never economy when it is carried to the last degree of parsimoniousness.

Do not starve yourself nor your family. Substitute more plentiful foods for those that are scarce; save the fats, but keep up a balanced menu; eat less, but not too little; keep a wasteless garbage pail, but above all:

Save wisely, but not too well!—Mother's Magazine.

Young Women

Are Told How to Find Relief from Pain.

Nashua, N. H.—"I am nineteen years old and every month for two years I had such pains that I would often faint and have to leave school. I had such pain I did not know what to do with myself and tried so many remedies that were of no use. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers and decided to try it, and that is how I found relief from pain and feel so much better than I used to. When I hear of any girl suffering as I did I tell them how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me."—DELINA MARTIN, 29 Bowers Street, Nashua, N. H.

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FOUR HUNDRED TO ONE SHOT

Estimate of Unsentimental Brokers That Lord Kitchener Is Not Among the Living.

Legends once well rooted die hard. Many people believe that Earl Kitchener survived the sinking of the Hampshire, and is either a prisoner of war, or, escaping in a small boat, has reached some remote part of the world and is living in anonymous retirement.

The romance gained a fresh lease of life when Mrs. Parker, a sister of the great general, publicly announced at Hastings not long ago her firm belief that her brother was alive and would one day return.

It is impossible to argue the matter. One can only believe or disbelieve. A measure of credence which business men attach to the story is to be found in a letter printed in the Liverpool Echo, Messrs. A. Letton, Percival & Co., insurance brokers of that city, say that a client of theirs wanted to know what rate could be quoted to cover the following risk:

That Lord Kitchener was alive on August 31, 1917, the onus of proof to be on the assured, and to be furnished within three months from peace being signed.

Lloyd's underwriters were prepared to accept ten thousand pounds at five shillings per cent, and the insurance, if that is the right word for it, has been completed.

The chances of Lord Kitchener being alive are, therefore, regarded by unsentimental brokers as one in four hundred.—London Chronicle.

SAVES MONEY FOR THE ARMY

Indiana Mess Sergeant Feeds His Men for Less Than Twenty-five Cents Each a Day.

How an inexperienced man can feed government troops and save money on the job is being demonstrated at Camp Taylor by Lucas Lincoln of this city, says the Indianapolis News. Lincoln is mess sergeant of the Forty-second company, Eleventh battalion. He was one of the first drafted men to go from here, having volunteered out of his regular order of obligation. He is a son of a furniture manufacturer here, and is married.

In a letter home, Lincoln tells how he is feeding 145 men for less than 25 cents each a day. He says the food is well cooked, and that the men have plenty. A sample menu, inclosed in the letter, shows how Lincoln made a saving of $17.38 on the government's food allowance for the three meals scheduled.

For breakfast the men had hamburger steak, biscuits and syrup, hashed brown potatoes and coffee. The dinner menu was vegetable soup, macaroni and cheese, bread and hot tea, and peach cobbler. For supper the men had boiled ham, mashed potatoes, bread and syrup, tea and stewed prunes.

Old Apple Still Fresh.

Apples may come and apples may go, but this one goes on forever. This may be said of an apple belonging to George M. Reade, of St. Paul, Minn., which he picked from a tree in New York in 1868.

Mr. Reade lived on a farm in Cortland county, N. Y., when a boy. One day, just for amusement, he climbed one of his father's apple trees, picked the largest apple he could find and stuck cloves in it, says an exchange.

It was merely an experiment, he said. He had heard of preserving apples by putting cloves in them, but thought it only a joke.

He gave the apple to his mother, and when she died and some goods were shipped to him in Minnesota, the apple was found among them, sound and still fragrant from the spice.

"This apple," Mr. Reade said, "has been from New York to Dakota, and from Tennessee to Minnesota. It has always been exposed to the air. It will is as shiny and wholesome looking as when I pulled it from the tree. Fifty years old, it still is fit for sale."

TOOTED HIMSELF INTO ARMY

Young Chicago Stenographer's Devotion to Clarinet Landed Him at Camp Logan.

"We've got a new boy in our office, all on account of the old one having actually tooted himself into Uncle Sam's service," says Charles F. Baumgart of Chicago.

"Long before any draft was made we had a boy stenographer and typewriter named Melville F. Brennen, and we also sent him out to dress up show windows with our cards and goods.

"One day he came down to the office with a queer looking package. When he uncovered it it was found to be a second-hand clarinet, and almost before we knew how he was spending his spare time he was giving us something that sounded like a cross between 'America' and 'Marching Through Georgia.' However, the boy had plenty of persistence and he stuck to his clarinet despite the fact that his folks threatened to chase him up in the attic of his home. He'd bring the thing down to the office now and then and let out a blast that caused general consternation.

"However, Melville managed to attract the attention of the bandmaster of the Second Illinois infantry, and one day he came into the office with the broadest Irish smile you ever saw in your life. He had enlisted as a member of the regimental band. Now he is Private M. F. Brannen and is tooting his own horn down at Camp Logan, Houston, Tex. Besides that he's doing clerical work in the adjutant's tent, and no one knows what he'll be doing next.

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